

Rhonda Bishton

From: Susan DeMarco
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To: rhonda.bishton@dgs.virginia.gov
Subject: Lee Monument

Dear Ms Bishton

I wanted to write in as I am unable to attend today's meeting.

I am FOR keeping the Lee Monument where it is and providing additional protections for it. As a native Richmonder, not someone that move here from somewhere else and is full of superfluous opinions, I am proud of Richmond's history, albeit a somewhat troubled and controversial one. I want the monument to remain where it is and be provided additional protections. All history is struggle and growth, and to deny our past is a travesty. We have since grown and broadened our thinking.

Thank you for allowing me to put in my "two cents" on this issue.

Best regards,

Susan DeMarco